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Circus is Here!
February
16-19, 2017

Potentate's Message

I would like to thank everyone who attended and helped with the Tangier installation. It was wonderful and a great time was had by all.

Well, January is over. It was a busy month, very productive, and I thank all the nobles for your hard work, support and great ideas. Please keep your thoughts and ideas coming in.

Lady Harriet and I would like to thank all the nobles who joined us on the Pote's trip to Jamaica. It was enjoyed by all.

February is a short month but a very busy one for our temple. We have our biggest Fundraiser of the year: The Circus. We hope to see all the nobles and their families there and would like to thank everyone in advance for all your hard work. Please spread the word to family friends and co-workers. Let's see how many seats we can fill!

The dinner for the Stated Meeting on Feb 9 will be for Valentine's Day. You will want to be sure to make this one.

Be sure to check out the specials in the Hot Sands for Hamburger Nights. They have had good food and good turnouts. Let's keep hamburger nights growing.

Events to put on your calendar -

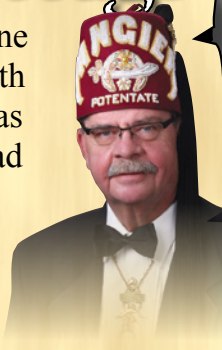
We also will be getting ready for the next fundraiser - Corned Beef and Cabbage, Friday, March 17th. The Potentates Ball is March 25th. You may want to sign up early.

The bus trip to the Hospital in Minneapolis is May 19 and 20th. If you have not been to the hospital, I would highly recommend it. This is a heartwarming experience and makes you proud to be a Shriner.

Lighting the way for our children!

James D. Hirl

Potentate 2017



TANGIER STATED MEETING

Thursday February 9, 2017

Dinner
Steak & Shrimp
6:15 pm

Business Meeting
7:30 pm
Main Room

Lady's meeting

Information regarding Black History Month, Karen Clopton will speak on Prince Hall Masons and Amaranth and the White Fez ladies

Please make your reservations

BABYSITTING AVAILABLE

Tangier Shrine Office • RSVP to 392-0404



HAMBURGER NIGHTS

Feb 1.....Special - Ham Steak

Cooks-Clowns & Desserts-Benson Diana RB #2

Feb 8Chicken Cordon Bleu

Cooks-Directors Staff & Desserts-Staffettes

Feb 15.....No Hamburger Night

Circus Set Up

Feb 22.....Chicken Fried Steak

Cooks-YOSHI & Desserts-YOSHI gals

Mar 1.....Arab Patrol, Westside #22

Mar 8.....TBD

Mar 15.....NO hamburger night, CB set up

Mar 22.....Clowns, Benson Diana RB #2

Mar 29.....Vintage Iron, Westside RB#22

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Recorder.....	Robert Schapp

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Marshal	Jim Sklenar
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Outer Guard	Wade Ridout

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Larry Moody.....	

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- Feb 2-4 Grand Lodge Younes Conference Center Kearney, NE
- Feb 16-19 Tangier Shrine Circus Mid-America Center
Council Bluffs
- Feb 19-21 Conference of Grand Masters of North America
LaVista Conference Center
- Feb 21 Alpha Chapter #325 Card Party
10:00 AM-2:00 PM TSC
- Feb 23 Friendship Dinner 6:00 PM TSC
- Feb 25 Florence Chapter #61 RAM Soup Supper
3:00-6:00 PM PapMC
- Mar 4 York Rite Royal Arch Festival 7:30 AM-4:00 PM
PapMC
- Mar 4 Masonic-Eastern Star Home for Children Chili Feed
Fremont
- Mar 11 Grand Lodge School of Instruction
9:00 AM-4:00 PM PapMC
- Mar 17 St. Patrick's Day Corned Beef TSC
- Mar 25 York Rite Council and Commandery Festival 7:30 AM
PapMC
- Mar 31 Scottish Rite Fish Friday 11:00 AM-1:00 PM SRMC
- Apr 6-8 Grand York Rite Younes Conference Center
Kearney, NE
- Apr 7 Scottish Rite Fish Friday 11:00 AM-1:00 PM SRMC
- Apr 14 Scottish Rite Fish Friday 11:00 AM-1:00 PM SRMC
- Apr 22-23 Nebraska Job's Daughters Spring Leadership
Workshop Cozad, NE
- Apr 23 Alpha Chapter #325 OES Spring Brunch & Bake Sale
10:00 AM BelMC
- Apr 27-29 Scottish Rite Spring Reunion SRMC

This is an informational service offered through the Omaha Metro Area Masters & Wardens Club to all of the Masonic family members in the Greater Omaha Area via e-mail.

For additions, corrections or the adding of people to receive the list, please contact Ron Stites, Keeper of the Masonic Activities List for Masters and Wardens at 402-293-1538 or rontami@cox.net. Please include the name of event, date, time, and location.

For other activities see the following websites:

Grand Lodge	www.glne.org	OES.....	www.neoes.org
Scottish Rite.....	www.scottishriteomaha.org	Tangier Shrine	www.tangiershrine.com
Jobs Daughters	www.jdne.org	DeMolay	www.nedemolay.org
Rainbow.....	www.nebraskarainbowgirls.com	York Rite	www.yorkrite.com/ne

HOT SANDS MEMORIALS

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Jeff Jackson

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Hank & Sharon Schwarz
James & Teresa Matthews
Bruce & Ruth Arp
Beverly & Dan & Maggie Louthan
Don & Karen Landrie
Roger Olson & Doug Hoops
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David & Teri Wolf
Len & Bev Falk
Kari Rasmussen
Past First Ladies of Tangier
Chuck & Dodie McDonnell
Walt Keast
Jerry & Carole Leapley
Bill & Colleen German
Guenter & Renata Horn
Jeff & Sandy Passer
Scott McMullen
Ron & Joyce VanZandbergen
Charlie Binge
Don & Sharon Perry
Frank & Susie Kroupa
Stan Hanquist
Don Streeter & Marcie Sargent
Arnie & Karleen Nelson
Lenny Begley
Arlene Warsocki
John & Pauline Parsons
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Chuck & Jane Ploughman
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Jack & Sandy Miller
Denise Moore
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Mick & Kim Wonder
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Greg & Lee Anne Norton
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Jann Robey
Ken Gardner
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Jan Cade
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Grand Lodge Officers, Ladies & Staff
John & Katie Knickman
Dean & Mary Ann Hemphil
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Memory P.P. John Wonder: (Cont.)

Bev & Mike Wolf
Kevin Shepherd
Dianna Peterson
Ed & Carla Mummy
Sara Dietrich
Neil O'Donnell & Phyllis White
Ed & Susie Dellinger
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Wayne & Joan John

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Stefan & Pat Jenkins
Sandra Heskett
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Chuck & Pat Scheunemann
Qwen & Vicki Atwell
Tangier Lounge Christmas Party Raffle
Tangier Provost

In Memory of Past Potentate John Wonder:

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Dean & Judy Abels
Ken & Pat Beebe
Mike & Teri Gunson
Clair & Neva Burroughs
Michelle Loxterman
Rod & Angie Larsen
John & Betty Davis
Tom Koksall & Ann Mayer
Botna Valley Shrine Club
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Tangier Hospital Float
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Jim & Nancy Jacobson(B&C Van Fund)
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William Kult
Bob & Joyce Vondrasek
Bob & Jackie Maline
Mike & Beverly Donham
Reginald Kuhn
Don & Jan Larson
Ivan & Karen Vrtiska
Toddy Manson
Larry & Pat Drews

In Memory of Jan Cade's Mother:

Mike & Teri Gunson

In Memory of Bruce Shepherd:

Jay & Linda Johnson
Don Streeter & Marcie Sargent

In Memory of Del Hartung:

Bob & Joyce Vondrasek
Larry & Kathy Courtmage

In Memory of Bill Jacobus:

Rick Whitesides
Jim & Steve Reese
Mike & Susie Gallagher
Richard Brokke
Bob & Patty Krause
Jerry Jackson
Jim & Sharon Gathman

In Memory of Marge Thompson:

Tangier Provost Ladies

In Memory of Hazel Wistrom:

Wistrom The Family of Hazel

In Honor of Andy Young:

John & Sara Young

In Memory of Past Potentate Don Madsen:

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James & Diane Brown
Milton & Barb Leefers
Robert & Cora Behrens
Mo Ri Shrine Club
Ed & Linda Nolte

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In Honor of Steve Clark:

Jim Larsen & Paulne

In Memory of Irene Cose:

Lana Davis

In Memory of Edward Hoffmann:

Talia Hoffman & Jack Sommars
Mark Hoffman
Wayne & Janice Hoffmann
Pat Gaines
Christine Shank & Mike Fitzgerald



Stated Meeting Expirations

Edward W. Hofmann .. December 4, 2016
Walter Doty III December 5, 2016
Glenn A. Reid December 6, 2016
Charles R. Sheets December 25, 2016
P.P. John J. Wonder .. December 26, 2016
Kenneth D. Henkens . December 30, 2016

Arbor Shrine

By: Don Larson

Hello from all of us to the Snow Birds – we miss seeing you all in the area. Winter has come to the area so it must be getting close to Tangier Shrine Circus time. The CIRCUS will be February 16th - 19th at Mid America Center in Council Bluffs. Arbor Shrine will be selling novelties again and there are nine shows, two on Thursday, two on Friday, three on Saturday and two on Sunday that Nobles and Ladies are needed to help man the tables. This is the largest and most important fundraiser for Tangier so we can take care of the kids. Melton Leefers has chaired this event for years and will again this year. He is asking for your support of Arbor Shrine and Tangier, to please find one show you could help with the sell of novelties, so please call him at 402-828-5775 and let him know the show you will attend. He thanks all in advance for helping.

All of the officers elected for 2017 have been installed and along with Ill. Sir Jim Hirl and Lady Harriet, his elected and appointed Divan, we wish them a very successful 2017.

Arbor Shrine is always looking for Nobles to join the Club, if interested please contact the Club.

Clowns

By: FabUlus

AKA Russ Ovens



I wanted to welcome everyone to a new year, and a new line. I can't wait to get this year going.

I would like to congratulate Shambles and his Lady Corey on a great year, and Illustrious Sir Charley and Lady Connie on a great year as well. Congratulations to Illustrious Sir Jimmy and his Lady Harriet in their upcoming year as Potentate. I also want to welcome our new Divan rep Mike Gardner, AKA "Not So."

I'm looking forward to our success at the Super bowl party on February 5, and Circus February 16-19. I know we will have a great turnout, and lots of fun to report in the next issue.

I just want to remind everyone of the meetings first Friday of the month, with cocktails at 6:30 pm, and the meeting starting at 7:00. Look for emails on upcoming gigs and events.

Let's make this year a FABULUS year together, because there is no "I" in CLOWNS. If you need my contact info it is 402-880-7356, or russ.ovens@gmail.com.

Hope everyone has a great month, I sure know we will as a CLOWN FAMILY.

Chanters

By: Bernie Hauber



Here we are in the second month of a new year. Last month, Nobles Joel Perry and Fritz McMullin were installed as Captain and Lieutenant of the Chanters, respectively. The Chanters performed at the installation of the Tangier Shrine Divan on January 6th. We hope we made a good impression on all the nobles and ladies present at this event.

On January 21, the Chanters sang at a memorial service for wife of Shriner Bob Janacek at the Shrine Center. If you want us to sing at such events, requests should be received early to verify our availability. Just contact any Chanter or leave a message at the Shrine Center.

In a continuation of the tradition, I would like to introduce you to our Lieutenant, Noble George "Fritz" McMullin. Fritz and his lady Deb were married May 2015. They moved to a home in LaVista and Deb started a job at Mid-America Council, Boy Scouts of America. Fritz was raised in G.W. Lininger Lodge in the summer of 2014. He joined the Scottish Rite that fall. He joined York Rite in the spring of 2015. When they were being interviewed to join Alpha Chapter OES, which they joined in the summer of 2015, Fritz was invited to visit a Chanters rehearsal. His love of music did the rest and he joined the Shrine October 2015. When they aren't busy with Masonic events they are both very active as adult volunteers with the Boy Scouts. The Chanters are happy that he has chosen to add his tenor voice to our group.

The Chanters are honored to be invited to sing at the American Heroes (Membership) Banquet during the Nebraska Grand Lodge AF&AM Annual Communication at 7:00 pm on February 3rd in Kearney. In addition, we are scheduled to perform at the Conference of Grand Masters of North America in LaVista on February 20th.

Any man with a joy for singing should be interested in joining us and should contact any Chanter or leave a message at the Shrine Center. That's my update for February. Of course, we all know that February 16 through 19 is the Shrine Circus and the Chanters will provide direction and help with the National Anthem as usual. See you there!

"Singing is such an excellent thing, that I wish all people would sing." Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd, Jr.

Boone & Crockett

By: Charlie Lovell,
PP, Secretary



Greetings from the Boone and Crockett Club. I am sorry to announce that Charlie Binge will no longer be the scribe of the B&C monthly articles. Not because of lack of ability or desire it's because we elected him our Vice President. Yay! Boone and Crockett members would like to thank Charlie for his long time service as the Secretary of the club and we will be working hard for him in his new position.

Well, by the time you read this article the Game Feed will be a memory. President Alan Cohen and the club would like to thank all the members who donated game and gave of their time to make it a success. The game feed is an important event as it is a big chunk of our fundraising for the year and crucial for buying those vans.

February is here and you know what that means...CIRCUS! That's right and we need all the help we can muster for selling novelties. Dan, Nick, and the gang will be there to show you what to do and hey, you don't even have to be a B&C member to come help out. If you are a new Tangier member who has not joined a club or unit yet we would be delighted to help you get involved in the Circus. The record setting sales of the club will most assuredly continue but we can't do it without good, hardworking sales people. Look for us on the second floor and we will put you to work. The Circus is February 16 through 19; come have some fun with Boone and Crockett.

With all the hoopla of January behind us, we need to focus on membership for 2017. The Membership Committee and our Divan work very hard to promote new membership and incentivize our current members to get out there and help. Imagine the possibilities if each member just committed himself to bringing in one new member, we would double in size, and it's that simple. Boone and Crockett is a good selling point if you explain to them that we donate all of our proceeds for purchasing the vans that transport our Shrine Kids and their families to and from the Hospitals. Please get out there and sign someone up. We meet on the first Thursday of the month at 6:30 pm on the lower lever of the Center. Bring your prospects down to meet everyone and we will help you get them to commit.

I will leave you with this thought: Limits are unknown until we seek them out, and if discovered, are passed right up. Till next month, the club.

Corvette Club

By: Pete Larson
President



It's amazing how fast January flew by! With the upcoming mild weather many of the Corvette Club members are already thinking about the various road trips that we have planned for 2017. Numerous Corvettes can hardly wait to break out of the various storage facilities and lose their covers – mine included!

Congratulations to the newly elected and installed Divan, especially Illustrious Sir Jim Hirl and Lady Harriett. The Corvette Club is looking forward to helping you throughout the year as 2017 will undoubtedly be another year to remember.

Nobles one and all, including the Tangier Corvette Club, will be helping with another Tangier Shrine Circus, held at the Mid-America Center in Council Bluffs for the 3rd year. The TCC will be manning one of the many novelty booths at the Circus. We are always glad to help wherever we can to help Tangier to be successful. The Circus is one of the premier events for Tangier Shrine as it helps put many smiles on the faces of the young and old.

REMEMBER – The TCC is looking for a few new members who own a parade-worthy Corvette. The club meets at Tangier Shrine Center at 6:00 pm the second Monday of every month. Please contact Pete Larson at (402) 659-5960 or email him at: nu4me@cox.net if you would like more information about becoming a Tangier Corvette Club member.

Until next time, keep your top & windows down when it is sunny, but UP when you go through the car wash!

Motor A

By: Larry Hulsebus



Motor "A" would like to wish Potentate Jim Hirl and Lady Harriet a great year for 2017, along with the entire Divan. We will be eager to help where needed at the Circus and are already looking forward to parade season with our Little 57' Chevys.

We send out birthday greetings this month to Karen McCauley, Sandy Bowman, and Carol and Al Seseman.

Our February Meeting will be back at Millard Roadhouse, so we invite anyone who is interested in joining Motor "A" to come and join us at 6:00 pm, Monday, February 6th.

With no further news, "Keep your gas tanks full and remember to turn the key."

Circus

By: Jim Turpen, Circus Chair



WOW, how time flies. Our much anticipated Circus will arrive soon. The planning has been completed and now is the time to implement.

We truly want to thank the nobility and their ladies for all the hard work they will be doing during the Circus. It is the participation of all of us at Tangier that makes the Circus so much fun and is critical for our success. I would like to give a special call out to the folks in our office. They do so much behind the scenes to make the Circus a success resulting in four of the most fun days of the year.

It is still not too late to contribute a bicycle for the "Great Bicycle Give Away". The forms are in the Office and can be turned into Sandy. Contributions from units, clubs and individuals are what make this program such a success. It is a terrific marketing tool but more importantly, it brings wide smiles to the many faces of our local children who are the ultimate winners. The good will this brings to Tangier in the eyes of the public is priceless.

Looking forward to seeing you all at the MAC for the pageantry and fun of the 88th edition of the Tangier Shrine Circus.

Golden Girls

By: Maxine Lorraine Powers



Already January 2017 is history. The Lovers' month, February, is here. Greeting card aisles are still a sea of red. Valentine cards have replaced the Christmas cards. Close by are enticing chocolates in heart-shaped boxes. A real challenge for those who resolved to lose a few pounds on New Year's day. Let's travel down memory lane. I'm guessing some of you remember the Valentine box, with the slit in the top, that you made from red construction paper. I sure do!

Golden Girls will have their monthly noon luncheon meeting on Tuesday, February 14, Valentine's Day. Usual place – lower level (Oasis room) of the Shrine Center. Marilyn Guss will be the hostess and will also serve as the president. It will be an important meeting. An election of officers to serve in 2017 will be held. Other January business will be discussed. Only seven of our members and one guest made it to last month's meeting. Remember that nasty ice storm we had during the night of January 9th? Plus the cold, cold weather. Well this is Nebraska and it is winter.

Members Edna Hesson and Shirley McKim will be celebrating their birthday this month. Happy Birthday, ladies.

Daughters of the Nile

By: Queen Cheryl Elliott



Greetings to all. I want to give a big thank you to Princess Royal Samantha Gunn for organizing and hosting the fun event on January 21st. It was a great idea to beat those winter blahs and raise money for our temple.

Important dates coming up: February 3 (new time) 9:00 am continental brunch, Ceremonial at 9:30 and then Session will follow immediately after. We will also have a Memorial Service before closing. Please come to welcome our new members and vote on by-law changes. Call other members to see if they need a ride to be there also.

The Tangier Shrine Circus is coming! February 17-19. Remind your family and friends to attend! Helpers are always needed, also.

March will be our very busy month. March 2: 1:00 pm Session with voting for new officers. Please be sure to attend. We will also be thanking the many appointed officers of 2016 for all of their help and support they have given our temple. There will be a reception for the newly elected officer immediately following the conclusion of session.

March 19: Installation of new officers at the Scottish Rite Building, open to the public.

All members should have received the beautiful newsletter by now. If you are receiving by email and would rather go to a hard copy through the mail, please let us know.

As my term as Queen is quickly coming to a close, I am reflecting on what a wonderful experience this has been for me. I am so proud to be introduced at both our Tangier Shrine events and at our sister Shrines as the Queen for Sat-ra Temple No. 59, Daughters of the Nile, for 2016.

Thank you to everyone for your support and all you do to help our Temple support the Shriners Hospitals for Children. "No act of kindness, no matter how small, goes unnoticed" - Aesop

Pickup Truck Club

By: Charlie Beasor

Happy New Year to all. Looking forward to being with everyone this new year. The Circus is coming up this month, February 16-19. It will be greatly appreciated for all help and support at the Circus.

Remember the Pickup Truck Club meets every third Wednesday at 7:00, upstairs, in the game room. We are always looking for new members. If interested you can contact Charlie Beasor at (402) 290-7701.

Hospital Float



By: Mike Donham

February is here and with it our main Shrine Activity ----- THE CIRCUS!! I hope that everyone can get out and support Tangier and our Unit.

The unit sends congratulations to our 2017 Potentate, Illustrious Sir Jim Hirl and his Divan

In January, the officers of the units and clubs were installed by Illustrious Sir Jim Hirl. The following officers were installed as officers for the Hospital Float: President - Mike Donham, Vice-president - Don Harrington, Secretary/Treasurer - Ken Nisley.

The "old" float trailer has been readied to sell. If you know of someone who would be interested in buying it, please let me know.

Thanks to everyone who purchased Holiday Greens and fresh cranberries. The profit from both sales should be about the same as last year.

We are again selling Circus shirts. These are a light blue and have a different pattern. We are selling them at Hamburger Nights.

Happy Birthday wishes to the following Nobles and Ladies of Tangier celebrating in February: Nobles Stan Hale and Michael Donham and to Lady Martha Sherman.

Noble Ken and Lady Cindy Nisley and Noble Tim and Lady Laura Mendoza celebrate February anniversaries.

Under sickness and distress, we are happy to report that Noble Don Ellis is home from the hospital and Lady Carol Hale is recovering at home. At this time no extra surgery is needed for her knee.

Remember Nobles: "What it lies in our power to do, it lies in our power not to do." - Aristotle

Road Runners



By: Stanley Garner

Tangier Road Runners made six trips to the Shriners Hospital for Children - Twin Cities in December, transporting five patients, and one load of toys. An additional six patients traveled to the Twin Cities by private vehicle, and one patient provided their own transportation to the St Louis Hospital. Also, three patients were flown to Chicago and two to Cincinnati.

December drivers included: G. Eckert, F. Kroupa, R. Lyon, Jim Davis, R. Howell, B. Thummel, D. Jeanneret, N. O'Donnell, P. Pilakowski, J. Gathmann and M. Brooks.

Thanks for all your efforts!

Director's Staff

By: Don Larson

It was a great start of 2017 with all of the Officers being installed. We want to wish Illustrious Sir James Hirl and Lady Harriet, his elected and appointed Divan, and all the Officers of Units and Clubs, a successful 2017.

The Director's Staff has a busy start for the year, Circus February 16th -19th and Mardi Gras party February 25th.

The CIRCUS is the largest and most important fundraiser to support and fund Tangier, so we can take care of the kids. The Director's Staff will be selling novelties at the Circus and needs everyone's support. There are nine shows to cover for the Novelty table, two on Thursday, two on Friday, three on Saturday, and two on Sunday. Please show your support and let the Director know the show you can attend. Wednesday February 15th, help is needed for set up and for the inflatables.

A successful Mardi Gras fundraiser is important for the Director's Staff to have a successful year, so the Unit needs everyone's support for the event. Please plan to attend and show your support for the Unit. The Unit is looking for items for the Silent Auction, so please let the Director know what items you can supply for the Auction.

Please show your support of the Unit by attending some of the meeting and events, everyone is needed to have a successful Unit.

The Director's Staff is always looking for Nobles to join the Unit. If interested contact a Member of the Unit or attend a meeting the fourth Monday of the month in the lower room of the Shrine at 7:00 pm.

Shrine Bowl Unit



By: John Golden, Commander

Greetings from the Shrine Bowl Unit. First Congratulations to Illustrious Sir Jim Hirl on his installation as Potentate of Tangier Shrine for 2017 along with Lady Harriet. We are all behind you and we are sure it will be a fun-filled year.

I am John Golden the new Commander of the Shrine Bowl Unit for 2017. Along with my Lady Barb, we will do our best to continue to move the unit forward in all we do. I would like to thank everyone for their support of the Big Red Dinners. Our last dinner will be on Thursday, February 16th with Nate Clouse as the speaker.

The Shrine Bowl Unit had another great showing at Hamburger Night.

We look forward to the Circus, February 16-19. No matter how bad your day, week, or year has been, attending and helping out at the Circus is something that no noble should miss.

If interested, any noble is more than welcome to attend our meetings to learn about our unit. We meet on the second Tuesday of each month downstairs at Tangier. Dinner is at 6:30 pm, and the meeting starts at 7:00.

Keystone Kops



By: Captain

Randy "Donkey" Jaccaud

Hello everyone. I am Randy "Donkey" Jaccaud, the Captain this year and I will be guiding you down 2017 through the eyes of the Keystone Kops. What a great year it is going to be. First we want to congratulate Illustrious Sir James D. Hirl and Lady Harriet as the new Potentate and First Lady of Tangier. We also want to wish good luck to Past Chief Steve Elliott and Lady Cheryl who became the third member of the Keystone Kops to join the Divan by becoming the newly elected Oriental Guide.

We want to extend an invitation to anyone who wants to see what the Keystone Kops are all about. We hold our meetings on the second Friday of every month at 7:30 in the lower level of the Shrine. We would love to see some new faces.

Don't forget! The Circus is coming! We will be out at local area Hy-Vee stores promoting the Circus along with the Clowns and Mobile Nobles. Watch for emails with dates and times.

Lastly I would like to throw out a BIG Happy Birthday to all the Kops and Kuties who had birthdays last month, next month and the rest of the year. Rumor has it someone joined the over 50 crowd?

MO-RI



By: Noble Don

Mo-Ri is very pleased to have jumped into 2017 with a fresh level of new energies. Our number one goal, as always, will be the continued support and attentiveness to the needs of our Shrine Hospital Patients and families through the guidance of our Tangier elected Divan.

The Club leadership has finalized the planning of several great fundraising activities, lined up our entire meeting calendar for the year and settled on several great locations for our member's dining pleasure. We are realizing an influx of interest coming from visiting Nobles and Ladies attending our meetings as guests but leaving as Mo-Ri members. Planning is in place to reach out to the many new Shriners joining Tangier in 2016 as we hope to extend to them the opportunity of experiencing the camaraderie and friendship which Mo-Ri has to offer. Because of our definition, "A Social Supper Club", our membership is comprised of a vast cross section of the Clubs and Units that make up Tangier. As such, we will not be meeting during the months of February and March so that our members can lend their talent and support to the Tangier Circus, February 16 - 19 at the MAC and the lead up to and the serving of Tangier's Corned Beef Feed on March 17 at Tangier.

Interested? Take a look at us at tangieronline.org, and click on Units and Clubs.

Mobile Nobles

By: Dave Stolp



Well, January is gone and February is here and I promise this is indeed a fact.

"OLD 357" is back in service and is functioning well. We have completed several visits to local Hy-Vee stores in January to promote the upcoming circus in March. We will continue these visits in this month on the following schedule: Friday, February 3rd at 50th & Center, 4:00 to 7:00 pm; Saturday, February 4th at 156th & Maple, 1:00 to 4:00 pm; Friday, February 10th at 1745 Madison Avenue in Council Bluffs, 4:00 to 7:00 pm; Saturday, February 11th at 2323 W. Broadway in Council Bluffs, 1:00 to 4:00 pm. Please feel to stop by at any of these locations and we will give you a ride.

Our February meeting will be held at Tangier on the 4th at 11:00 am. We encourage all members to attend as we have several items to discuss concerning our presence at the Circus in March. We also have plans to bring "Little 357" to the circus to give kids rides (indoors of course).

Our annual 357 Dinner will be held at the Scottish Rite Masonic Center on March 11th. We may have some extra tickets available due to possible cancellations of our current ticket holders. Please contact your favorite Mobile Noble if you are interested. Please refer to our announcement elsewhere in this Hot Sands. We have prizes galore including \$10,000 in cash. Some lucky ticket holder wins every year! Hope to see you there.

Well that is all for now as I must replenish our supply of coal for "OLD 357".

See you down the tracks.

Quote: If the girls don't find you handsome at least they should find you handy. -Red Green.

Motor B

By: Ed Hatter



First off, I would like to thank everyone that supported us with a purchase of a Christmas Tree this season, and a big thanks to all the work the volunteers with the Corvette Club and Motor B did to sell, set up, and tear down the trees. I would also like to thank everyone that helped at the Hamburger nights this month. Be sure to try the weekly specials. The hot turkey sandwich was excellent.

Since it is cold out and we are all suffering from Parked Motorcycle Syndrome. It is time to be dreaming about and planning this year's rides. Last year we made it to Pioneer Village in Minden, the Classic Car Collection and the Archway in Kearney, and the car show in West Point.

A couple of us got brand new 2017 Harley Davidsons and we are ready to try out the new Milwaukee-8 engines. I did get a short 20 mile ride in on January 1, 2017 to start off the New Year.

We will be doing a few short weekend rides along with the monthly dinner meeting rides when the weather gets nice again. In the meantime, please join us for our monthly meeting on December 4th at 6:30 pm at the Farmhouse Cafe at 3461 South 84th Street, if you have a motorcycle or have an interest in motorcycles. We have all kind of bikes in our unit, so don't think you have to ride a Harley. Feel free call or email at ed.hatter@gmail.com or any of us with questions.

I hope everyone enjoys the Shrine Circus, always a fun time.

Ride Safe and watch out for Motorcycles.

Jo De Ra

By: "Rib Eye" Costello

If you can tell me what our January article said last month, I will treat you to a beverage of your choice at the Shrine. I will even buy the popcorn, extra butter.

Congratulations to our illustrious Sir Jim Hirl, our Potentate and all our Divan members of 2017. We would like to congratulate and thank Steve Elliot on his election to the Divan. We are looking forward to be your partners at the upcoming parades.

We would like to thank Bob Krause on his leadership this past year. His commitment to the club was above and beyond reproach. Thank you Bob.

Our new leader Tom Upton will try to improve the club and will look for new members. He will buy them a drink and dinner at Brothers Sebastian's, so please keep a lookout for those nobles that may be interested in our club. IF YOU DON'T ASK, YOU DON'T GET!

Quick note, our next meeting will be on the first Monday in April. Please plan to attend and bring some ideas for the club.

A doctor that had been seeing an 80-year-old woman for most of her life finally retired. At her next checkup, the new doctor told her to bring a list of all the medicines that had been prescribed for her. As the doctor was looking through these his eyes grew wide as he realized Grandma had a prescription for birth control pills. "Mrs. Smith, do you realize these are birth control pills?" "Yes, they help me sleep at night." "Mrs. Smith, I assure you there is absolutely nothing in these that could possibly help you sleep!" She reached out and patted the young doctor's knee and said, "Yes, dear, I know that. But every morning, I grind one up and mix it in the glass of orange juice that my 16-year-old granddaughter drinks. And believe me it definitely helps me sleep at night." You gotta love Grandmas!

Till next month.

Shrinerazzi

By: Dave Hoffman

Hello Shriners! Just wanted to let you know that the Shrinerazzi are clicking away with the start of this new year.

We want to welcome all the new Divan and appointees, along with the officers of the Units and Clubs. We are excited to visit as many events as we can to document and show off all the wonderful things we are doing here at Tangier Shrine.

As a Club at Tangier, the Shrinerazzi would like to welcome our officers, Greg Norton - President, Kevin Potter - Treasurer, and David Hoffman - Secretary.

The Shrinerazzi are raffling off a GoPro Camera this year (see the ad in this Hot Sands to see all that comes with it). It is approximately a \$350 value. If you do not know what a GoPro Camera is, it is a camera you can strap onto your body, or any object so you can take videos hands free. I know there are a few Shriners who use them in our parades. GoPro Cameras are the new fun action camera out on the market nowadays. See the world in different eyes. The raffle tickets are \$2 a piece or 3 for \$5. The Shrinerazzi members have the tickets and would be happy to sell you several.

Don't forget if you have any functions that you want pictures of, please let us know so we can have someone there to take pictures. If you take pictures on your phones or cameras, please share those with us so we can put them on the TV screen in the Lounge. A big thank you goes out to our Illustrious Sir Jim Hirl for helping us get the nice big smart TV in the Lounge to show our pictures on.

You will see us at the Circus, Mardi Gras, Hamburger Nights, Super Bowl Party, and several other events taking pictures.

If we have taken pictures for you and you would like a copy please contact Greg Norton and he will do his best to get a copy sent to you.

Thank you all for your support of this fairly new club. We are working hard to cover all the events and looking forward to an awesome year. Remember to smile and say cheese when you see or hear us clicking our cameras in your direction.

Hillbilly News



By: Jim Sklenar,
Raban of the Clan

Howdy Cuzins! How ya'll doin? Hope you and yours are off to a great start this year. A big thanks to everyone that attended the Installation of Illustrious Cuzin Jimmy and Lady Harriet in January. What a great reception too! It's great to have a cuzin in charge of the temple again in 2017. It's gonna be a great year!

As you'll know we postponed the Hillbilly Christmas party that was scheduled on December 29th, due to the passing of one Great Cuzin Illustrious Sir John Wonder PP. The new date is Friday, February 10th. Important! - Any brother and lady interested in the Hillbillies is very welcome to come to this event, including the Christmas gift exchange. Mike Gardner, the Clan Vittle Fixer, has informed me that the Clan will be supplying the meat and taters. We are asking that everyone bring a Hors Deer Overs, side dish or desert. If your last name starts with A - M bring a desert or side dish, N - Z brings a hors duever or a side dish. If you ain't sure what letter your name starts with, just bring something! An of course we are have our Christmas gift exchange too! There's a \$10 dollar-ish limit on our Hillbilly Christmas gift exchange. The gift exchange will be separated by Guys and Gals. The social hour starts at 6:00 pm and food at 6:30. We are also gonna have VERY short business meetin. We gotta do elections for 2017 and talk about the Spring Ceremonial, etc.

We also have the upcoming Spring Ceremonial. It's tentatively scheduled for Saturday, April 15th at Tangier!.. SAVE THE DATE! We have some other neat ideas too. This is gonna be a heck of a hootenanny! If you can help out, that would be greatly appreciated. Please mark it on your calendar and tell all your friends. Its gunna be a fun time!

If you have any ideas you'd like to share, please get ahold of one of the HB officers. My email is socknroo@frontiernet.net. We appreciate your input. Please keep an eye on the Hot Sands and computer mail for more info on the Spring Ceremonial.

Sweet Cheeks and I hope you and your family has gotten off to a great start in 2017! Ain't it great to be a hillbilly!

Honor the Cob!

Legion of Honor



By: Commander Jeremy M. Martin

It certainly feels like we are in the grips of winter in the Midwest; the temperatures are dropping and the members who served in colder climates are telling everyone else it could be worse. During January's meeting we nominated and elected Dan Daniels as the newest member to the Executive Committee, congratulations Dan! Since I was slow and didn't get in the January edition of the Hot Sands, congratulations to Tom Upton as the new Finance Officer, Mike Billquist as the new 1st Lt Commander and Jeremy Martin as the new Commander for 2017!

February will be a busy month for the Legion of Honor. The Annual Fez Ball will be held at the Shrine on the 11 February, starting at 6:00 pm. Tickets are still available, deadline for RSVP is 7 February. Dinner will be the choice of baked chicken (\$20) or prime rib (\$30). The dinner will be prepared by our very own John and Kathleen Dickey, who graciously volunteered for this task. Thank you John and Kathleen! If interested, please contact John Dickey at 402-715-6279.

While we are still in the doldrums of winter, we have to cast a gaze to the warmer months and remember they aren't too far away. That means we need to get our parade gear in order. Which means getting our parade uniforms cleaned up and flags repaired. This year we will be giving a facelift to the parade float/trailer. As it stands now, the trailer is in sad condition and will need to be completely torn down and rebuilt. With feedback from LoH members and the band, we have a good layout of the trailer and the paint scheme on the outside is going to look great! More will follow as we get closer to finalizing all the details.

Finally, the Circus is here! The shining lights will light up the rings of the Circus as we march out and present the colors. Please remember we need as much help presenting the colors as we do in our booth selling novelty items. This is a group effort and it is a vital part of our mission!

Tangier Pirates



By: Dave Larsen, Secretary

Ahoy Pirates! Th' next business meetin' will be February 27th at 6:30 pm. We would like t' 'ave all hands on deck so we can discuss plans fer 2017.

We shall begin plannin' fer our annual river trip in th' beginnin' o' March.

We would like t' see new hands as well as current hands t' participate more in 2017. Come out, participate 'n 'ave fun.

We be always lookin' fer new Pirates so if ye be interested in joinin' Pirates ye can email OmahaTangierPirates@gmail.com or contact Captain Greg Norton.

Women's Auxiliary



By: Jan Moore

Hi! We continue to work on items for sale at our boutiques and to send to the Hospital. We meet on the second and fourth Wednesday of most months. We begin about ten, work awhile, have lunch and then on the second Wednesday we have a very short business meeting. We would be very pleased to see some of you that belong but have been unable to attend at our meetings.

We are still collecting can tabs, toiletries, t-shirts, toys, and gift cards. Please be sure to put gift cards in an envelope marked as such, so that they don't get lost in the shuffle.

Valentine's Day is upon us. A thought - instead of spending so much on chocolate for that special someone, why not make a donation to the Hospital? But please don't forget that someone special. We do not want any hurt feelings over this.

How many of you have seen the Shriners ads on TV? They are well done and are not sappy. The kids that are on the ads are very upbeat and cheerful. I hope that many of you have seen them and enjoy them as much as I do. Nothing sad about them, just the promise of hope.

Not much to say, just keep saving can tabs and be kind to one another. Talk to you next month.

Vintage Iron



By: 64 El Camino

Well we are ready with new officers for 2017. Brian Gilcrist President, Jim Jacobson VP, Gary Shepherd Treasurer, and our newest member Secretary Don Buscher

First and foremost, the Circus. Vintage Iron will be driving the carts again for the transportation of the Shrine Circus manpower. Thank you, Glenn Smith, for your help with the carts every year. Hopefully the weather is as nice to us this year as last year.

If you have a '75 or older American made car you are welcome to join. Just ask anyone wearing a Vintage Iron Jacket. We will start gearing up for parade season soon and ending at CSSA in Overland Park. We will try to schedule a couple of cruises and have a few impromptu good weather cruises as well.

Feature car of the month is our treasure and Shrine Motor Corps Secretary Gary Shepherd's 64 Pontiac GTO Convertible. No trailer queen here it has been driven many places and what a beauty.

We are all looking forward to a great year with Illustrious Sir Jim Hirl and his Lady Harriot.



Donation from American Lab Employees to the Tangier Shrine Transportation Fund.



Present the 3rd Annual



**Saturday
March 4, 2017**

Cocktails 6:00 PM, Dinner 7:00 PM, Roast 7:45 PM

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KARAOKE NIGHT



Food Night

Friday, February 24th

Food @ 6:30

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2017 Tangier Shrine Membership Goals

12 New Nobles for the month of December

Chris Baker

Robert Duff

John Hardy

Geoffrey Talmon

Darryl Cleaver

Tim Gardner, Jr

Dalton Kock

Tim VanAckern

Alaric Dailey

Justin Grau

Robert Lewis

Gordon Wehner

Unit Name	2016 Goal	YTD
Arab Patrol	2	2
Band	2	2
Chanters	2	1
Clowns	4	4
Cycle Patrol	1	
Directors Staff	5	4
Greeters	2	
Hospital Float	2	
Jo De Ra	2	
Keystone Kops	5	8
Legion of Honor	3	1
Mobile Nobles	3	6
Motor A	2	
Motor B	2	
Provost Guard	5	3
Roadsters II	2	
Shrine Bowl	5	5
Unit Total	49	36

Congratulations:

Arab Patrol, Band, Clowns, Keystone Kops, Mobile Nobles, Corvettes and North Bend have all met their goals for 2016. Let's start the new year out and achieve our goals.

Club Name	2016 Goal	YTD
Arbor Shrine	3	1
Boone & Crockett	5	2
Botna Valley	2	
Computer Club	2	
Corvette Club	4	5
Crescent	2	
Fremont	4	2
Mo Ri	4	
North Bend	2	2
Oasis	3	
Past Masters	2	1
Pirates	4	
Racers	3	
Ritual Divan	1	2
Road Runners	2	
Sand Hills	3	
Vintage Iron	4	3
Wise Ashes	3	1
Yoshi	3	1
Club Total	56	20
Past Potentates	4	3
Trustees	4	
Divan	7	2
Tangier 2016 Total	120	61



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Saturday

Hospitality Room

At Ramada Inn

1:00 - 4:00 pm

Dinner & Ball

5:30 pm Social Hour

6:30 pm Introductions

7:00 pm Dinner

8:30 Dancing

Sunday

Breakfast at Tangier Shrine

8:00 am Eye Openers

8:45 am Breakfast

**Cost: \$75.00 per person for the Ball and Breakfast
 (Room is not included)**

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Potentate's Ball Registration

Deadline for Ball Reservations is on or before March 8th, 2017

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Atten: Pote's Ball, 2823 S. 84th St., Omaha, NE 68124

Noble _____ Title _____
 Lady's Name _____ Title _____
 Address _____
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 Phone _____ Unit/Club Affiliation _____
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Costumes Optional

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DATES TO REMEMBER

Omaha York Rite Dates to Remember

- Jan 27 Mt. Calvary Commandery #1 Catered
Dinner 6:30 pm, Meeting 7:30 pm, PMC
- Feb 13 Omaha Chapter #1 RAM Meeting 7:30
pm, BenMC
- Feb 15 Florence Chapter #61 RAM Pot Luck
Dinner 6:30 pm, Meeting 7:30 pm, PMC
- Feb 16 Omaha Council #1 Cryptic Masons
Meeting 7:00 pm, BelMC
- Mar 4 Royal Arch Festival 7:30 am, PMC

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Scottish Rite Masonic Center Calendar of Events



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- Feb 11 Knights of St Andrew Meeting 9:00 am
- Feb 19 Conference of Grand Masters Reception
- Feb 20 Ladies Night at the Rite 5:30 pm

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Sunday, March 12th 2017

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Clowns	6:30 P.M.	1st Friday	Tangier	Russel Ovens	402-880-7356	Mike Gardner
Cycle Patrol	6:30 P.M.	1st Monday	Various	Phil Stier	402-670-8069	Dave Shaw
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Greeters	7:00 P.M.	2nd Tuesday	Tangier	Don Mastny	402-699-2724	Ralph Joos Jr PP
Hospital Float	6:30 P.M.	3rd Saturday	Various	Michael Donham	402-558-9032	Mike Stuhr
Jo De Ra	6:30 P.M.	1st Monday	Jerico's	Tom Upton	402-618-9972	I.S. Jim Hirl
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Mobile Nobles	11:00 A.M.	1st Saturday	Tangier	Dan Waldron	402-680-8126	Al Smith
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Motor B	6:30 P.M.	1st Monday	Farmhouse Café	Carl Lewis	402-203-5945	Al Smith
Oriental Band	7:00 P.M.	1st & 2nd Monday	Various	Don Peterson	402-957-5865	All
Provost Guard	7:00 P.M.	3rd Thursday	Tangier	Andy Freeman	402-960-3816	Dave Norton
Roadster II	7:00 P.M.	3rd Wednesday	Fremont Lodge	Jerry Nielsen	402-721-2785	All
Shrine Bowl	7:00 P.M.	2nd Tuesday	Various	John Golden	402-638-7138	Mike Gardner
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Arbor	7:00 P.M.	Last Tuesday	Nebraska City Various	Mel Jeanneret	402-873-1182	Bob Schapp
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Corvette Club	6:00 P.M.	2nd Monday	Tangier	Pete Larson	402-659-5960	Dave Norton
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Fremont	6:30 P.M.	Last Monday	Various	Bryan Maschmeier	402-720-4884	Steve Elliott
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Hamburger Night Clowns & Benson Diana RB #2	2	3	4
5 Clowns Super Bowl Party	6	7	8 Hamburger Night Directors Staff & Staffettes	9 Stated Meeting Dinner 6:15pm Meeting 7:30pm Babysitting Available	10	11 Blood Drive
12	13	14 Circus Setup	15 Circus Setup No Hamburger Night	16 Circus Big Red Dinner	17 Circus	18 Circus Nile Fundraiser
19 Circus	20	21 Chief Aide, Unit & Club Head Meeting 5:30pm	22 Hamburger Night Yoshi & Yoshi Gals	23 Friendship Dinner 6:00pm	24	25 Mardi Gras Party
26	27	28 Circus Appreciation 6:30pm				

March 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Hamburger Night	2	3	4 Roast the Past Pote
5	6	7	8 Hamburger Night	9 Stated Meeting Dinner 6:15pm Meeting 7:30pm Babysitting Available	10	11 357 Dinner at SRMC
12	13	14	15 Hamburger Night	16	17 Corned Beef & Cabbage Feed	18
19	20	21 Chief Aide, Unit & Club Head Meeting 5:30pm	22 Hamburger Night	23 Membership Meeting 6:30pm	24	25 Potentate's Ball
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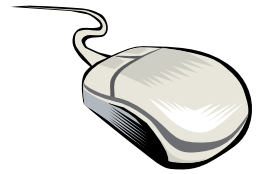


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